

**SECOND DAY.**

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas,

Tuesday, September 14, 1926.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller.

The roll was called, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey.	Pollard.
Berkeley.	Price.
Bledsoe.	Real.
Bowers.	Reid.
Davis.	Russek.
Fairchild.	Smith.
Floyd.	Strong.
Hardin of Erath.	Stuart.
Hardin of Kaufman	Triplett.
Holbrook.	Ward.
Lewis.	Westbrook.
Miller.	Wirtz.
Moore.	Witt.
Murphy.	Wood.
Parnell.	Woodward.
Parr.	

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Davis.

**Petitions and Memorials.**

See Appendix for brief statements of.

**Bills and Resolutions.****Simple Resolution No. 3.**

By Senators Woodward, Floyd, Wirtz, Holbrook, Smith, Murphy and Lewis:

Whereas, The frequency of bank robberies in Texas within the past year has caused considerable alarm among the bankers and business interests in Texas, and:

Whereas, Ranger Captain Tom Hickman has actively and diligently apprehended and brought to justice many men connected therewith, and:

Whereas, There was recently a bold and daring daylight robbery of Red River National Bank in Clarksville, and:

Whereas, Ranger Captain Tom Hickman was on the alert and, through his courageousness and fidelity to duty, he prevented said robbery, and in the exercise of his lawful duties and in the enforcement

of the laws he subjected himself to the dangers of losing his own life in the performance of his duties, and:

Whereas, he should be commended for his activity and his performance of duty in the enforcement of the laws against bank robberies.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of Texas that the courageousness of his action, together with his fidelity to duty, warrants the public commendation by the Senate of Texas and we express to him our appreciation of his services.

The resolution was read and adopted.

**Simple Resolution No. 4.**

Resolved, That the salary of Mailing Porter, Tom Burton, be raised from \$3.00 per day to \$4.00 per day.

Berkeley, Bailey, Real, Davis, Parr, Moore.

The resolution was read and adopted.

**S. C. R. No. 3.**

By Senator Davis:

Whereas, The Commissioners of Agriculture of the cotton states expect to assemble in Dallas on September 17th, looking to a better price for the cotton crop of 1926, and

Whereas, It now appears the cotton crop in some of the states and especially the cotton crop in Texas will be materially reduced in volume

Now, therefore be it resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, We express the hope that the Commissioners of Agriculture of the cotton states and the individuals and associations in the cotton states interested in this movement may take such steps as are necessary to aid the cotton farmers of the South in obtaining for their cotton crop a price for their cotton equivalent to the cost of production plus a reasonable profit. The members of the Legislature of Texas are vitally interested in this program and extend our support and sympathy to this undertaking.

The resolution was read and adopted.

**Enrolling and Engrossing Clerks.**

Carl Boes, Chief Enrolling Clerk.

R. S. Terry, Chief Engrossing Clerk.

Frank D. Stubbeman, Cecil Herrington, Leo Elliot, Elizabeth Dudley, Kathrine O'Neil, Annie Davis, Assistants.

On motion of Senator Strong, the above appointments were confirmed by the Senate.

### **Bills on First Reading.**

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in uGadalupe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commisioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Guadalupe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commisioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 3, in Guadalupe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commisioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Guadalupe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Guadalupe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3-B, in Hays County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Blanco County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 1, of Blanco County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 15, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, of Blanco County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4 of Blanco County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 17, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5 of Blanco County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 18, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1 of Fort Bend County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 19, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4 of Chambers County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 20, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8 of Matagorda County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 21, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7 of Matagorda County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 22, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4 of Fort Bend County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 23, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6 of Matagorda County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 24, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Matagorda County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 25, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Matagorda County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 26, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 24, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 27, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 28, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 29, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 30, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 23, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 31, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 20, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 32, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 19, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

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By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 33, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 34, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 35, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 36, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 37, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Holbrook:

S. B. No. 38, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Brazoria County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banking.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 39, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Smith County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 40, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Van Zandt County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 41, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Smith County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and pro-



viding for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Pollard:

S. B. No. 42, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Smith County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 43, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in San Augustine County, Tex., validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing

proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 44, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in San Augustine County, Tex., validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 45, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in San Augustine County, Tex., validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 46, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in San Augustine County, Tex., validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of

said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Lewis:

S. B. No. 47, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Leon County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Lewis:

S. B. No. 48, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Leon County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified

copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Lewis:

S. B. No. 49, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Leon County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Lewis:

S. B. No. 50, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Houston County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 51, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Fannin County, Texas,

validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 52, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 53, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of

said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 56, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 11, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 57, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 58, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 59, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Westbrook:

S. B. No. 60, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Fannin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 31, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 62, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 30, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 63, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 24, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 23, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 65, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 22, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 66, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 27, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 67, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 21, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 20, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 29, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 70, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 25, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional

notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Moore:

S. B. No. 71, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 26, in Collin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senator Strong:

S. B. No. 72, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Shelby County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Strong:

S. B. No. 73. A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Shelby County, Texas, validating and approving all orders

made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Berkeley:

S. B. No. 74, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Reeves County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Berkeley:

S. B. No. 75, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Reeves County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road

district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 76, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Fayette County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 77, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Fayette County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 78, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Fayette County, Texas,

validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 79, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Colorado County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Waller County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of



said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Russek:

S. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Waller County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Bowers:

S. B. No. 82, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Brazos County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 4, in Morris County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Morris County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Bowie County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Bowie County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 16, in Cass County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 18, in Cass County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Price:

S. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 19, in Cass County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Real:

S. B. No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Kendall County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office.

By Senator Real:

S. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Bandera County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office.

By Senator Real:

S. B. No. 92, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Kerr County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional

notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office.

By Senator Real:

S. B. No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Kerr County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Ellis County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Hood County, Texas,

validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 96, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Hill County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Ellis County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road dis-

trict; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 98, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Hill County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Ellis County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to

**Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.**

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Hill County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Ward:

S. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Ellis County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Triplett:

S. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Hardin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organi-

zation of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Triplett:

S. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Hardin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Triplett:

S. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Hardin County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road

district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Counties and County Boundaries.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 17, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 16, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 107, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 13, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and pro-

viding for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 110, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing

proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Floyd:

S. B. No. 112, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Red River County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Wood:

S. B. No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 95, in Williamson County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

(President Pro Tem Strong presiding.)

By Senator Wood:

S. B. No. 114, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Burnet County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Limestone County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 116, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 18, in Limestone County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 117, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Limestone County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 118, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 13, in Limestone County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional



notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 119, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Lamb County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Bailey County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 121, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Lubbock County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of

said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 122, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Crosby County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 123, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Dickens County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified

copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Parr:

S. B. No. 124, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Hidalgo County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising.

By Senator Davis:

S. B. No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to cover deficiencies in appropriations heretofore made for the support of the State government for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1925, and August 31, 1926, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Davis:

S. B. No. 126, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to cover deficiencies in appropriations heretofore made for the support of the State government for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1924, August 31, 1925, August 31, 1926, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

#### Executive Message.

The Chair, President Pro Tem Strong, had read the following Executive Message, received at 10:50 o'clock, a. m.:

Governor's Office,

Austin, Texas, Sept. 14, 1926.

To the Honorable State Senate of the State of Texas:

I hereby submit for your advice, consent and confirmation to the appointments made by me as Governor since the adjournment of the Regular Session of the Legislature of the following appointees whose title and date of appointment are hereinafter set forth, to-wit:

#### District Judges.

W. S. Moore, Judge 16th Judicial District, appointed March 15, 1926.

E. G. Thornton, Judge 30th Judicial District, appointed June 12, 1926.

L. J. Brucks, Judge 38th Judicial District, appointed April 6, 1926.

James E. Mercer, Judge 67th Judicial District, Jan. 12, 1926.

Thomas B. Coe, Judge 75th Judicial District, appointed September 12, 1925.

W. T. Jackson, Judge 77th Judicial District, appointed June 22, 1926.

W. W. Cook, Judge 78th Judicial District, March 11, 1926.

J. E. Leslie, Judge 93rd Judicial District, appointed June 1, 1925.

Claude McCallum, Judge 101st Judicial District, appointed March 31, 1925.

R. J. Williams, Judge 102nd Judicial District, appointed February 24, 1925.

A. M. Kent, Judge 103rd Judicial District, appointed April 4, 1925.

Gordon B. McGuire, Judge 106th Judicial District, appointed August 1, 1925.

William Masterson, Criminal District Judge Harris County, appointed July 2, 1926.

#### District Attorneys.

J. P. Anderson, Attorney 4th Judicial District, appointed April 19, 1926.

J. V. Vandenberg, Attorney 24th Judicial District, appointed September 25, 1925.

Ben P. Allred, Attorney 30th Judicial District, appointed July 1, 1925.

Clem Calhoun, Attorney 39th Judicial District, appointed August 24, 1925.

Henry G. Russell, Attorney 70th Judicial District, appointed July 6, 1926.

W. C. Witcher, Attorney 72nd Judicial District, appointed May 27, 1925.

Joe G. Montague, Attorney 83rd Judicial District, appointed September 25, 1925.

A. W. Gibson, Attorney 106th Judicial District, appointed July 28, 1925.

#### **Commission of Appeals to Assist the Court of Criminal Appeals.**

E. A. Berry, Judge to assist above named Court, appointed March 31, 1925.

J. K. Baker, Judge to assist above named Court, appointed March 31, 1925.

#### **Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District.**

Wm. Pannill, Chief Justice, appointed May 1, 1925.

Jno. B. Littler, Associate Justice, appointed May 1, 1925.

T. B. Ridgell, Associate Justice, appointed May 1, 1925.

#### **Commission of Appeals.**

##### **Section "A."**

J. D. Harvey, Presiding Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

W. R. Bishop, Associate Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

Luther Nickels, Associate Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

##### **Section "B."**

Ben H. Powell, Presiding Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

H. B. Short, Associate Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

Ocie Speer, Associate Judge, appointed June 26, 1925.

#### **Miscellaneous Appointments of State Officers by Governor.**

Sam D. Stinson, State's Attorney to assist the Court of Criminal Appeals (unexpired term of Attorney Tom Garrard), appointed September 22, 1925.

Sam D. Stinson, State's Attorney to assist the Court of Criminal Appeals (full term), appointed January 4, 1926.

Robert M. Lyles, State's Attorney to assist the Court of Criminal Appeals (unexpired term of Nat Gentry, Jr.), appointed March 1, 1926.

Respectfully submitted,

MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,

Governor.

#### **Recess.**

On motion of Senator Bailey, the Senate, at 11 o'clock a. m., recessed until 2:30 o'clock p. m. today.

#### **After Recess.**

The Senate was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Miller.

#### **Message from the House.**

Hall of the House of Representatives, Austin, Texas, Sept. 14, 1926.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate:

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following bills:

S. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay the mileage, per diem and contingent expenses of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature."

S. C. R. No. 1, adopting joint rules of the Legislature.

S. C. R. No. 3, relating to the price of cotton.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. PHINNEY,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

#### **Bills and Resolutions.**

By Senator Miller:

S. B. No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Wise County, Teas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debt, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Miller:

S. B. No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 3, in Montague County, Teaxs, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debt, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Miller:

S. B. No. 129, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Wise County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debt, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Parr:

S. B. No. 130, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Zavala County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all

taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising.

By Senator Parr:

S. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Zavala County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising.

By Senator Parr:

S. B. No. 132, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Zavala County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising.

By Senator Smith:

S. B. No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Fisher County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Smith:

S. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Fisher County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Smith:

S. B. No. 135, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Fisher County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of

said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 136, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Cottle County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bledsoe:

S. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Cottle County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road

district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Woodward:

S. B. No. 138, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Coleman County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Woodward:

S. B. No. 139, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Brown County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Woodward:

S. B. No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 1, in Coleman County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Woodward:

S. B. No. 141, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Brown County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Reid:

S. B. No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Hartley County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Reid:

S. B. No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Briscoe County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Reid:

S. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Hall County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Reid:

S. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Hall County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the an-

nual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 151, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of



certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 154, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional

notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 155, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 156, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 157, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organi-

zation of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 158, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 159, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such

orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 160, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 161, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 162, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders

made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 163, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 164, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 16, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road

district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 165, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 21, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 166, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 22, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 167, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 23, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 168, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 24, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 169, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 25, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 170, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 26, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 171, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 29, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Witt:

S. B. No. 172, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 30, in Milam County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.

By Senator Bailey:

S. B. No. 173, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in DeWitt County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Bailey:

S. B. No. 174, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in DeWitt County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection

of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 175, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufactures.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 176, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 177, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin, of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 178, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin, of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 179, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of

said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin, of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 180, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Navarro County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin of Erath:

S. B. No. 181, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Bosque County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of

said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs.

By Senator Hardin of Erath:

S. B. No. 182, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Bosque County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 183, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Jasper County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 184, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District

No. 3, in Jasper County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 185, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Jasper County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district, validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Fairchild:

S. B. No. 186, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Jasper County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district, validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all

orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

By Senator Lewis:

S. B. No. 187, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating and legalizing the issuance of one million five hundred thousand dollars of Walker County special road bonds, authorized under and by virtue of an election held on March 29, 1924, by the qualified taxpaying voters of Walker County, Texas, and issued in part for the purpose of the purchase and construction of district roads, and the further construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, throughout said county; under and by virtue of which said election, the commissioners court of Walker County, Texas, by an order passed on May 12, 1924, authorized the issuance of Walker County special road bonds in series as follows: Series "A," aggregating one hundred two thousand dollars; Series "B," aggregating one hundred twenty thousand dollars; Series "C," aggregating six thousand dollars; Series "D," aggregating twenty thousand dollars; Series "E," aggregating thirty-eight thousand dollars, and Series "F," aggregating ninety-six thousand dollars, or a total of said series aggregating three hundred twenty-eight thousand dollars; and under and by virtue of which said order, the said court did further issue Walker County special road bonds, Series "G," aggregating one hundred eighteen thousand dollars; and under and by virtue of which said election said court thereafter, to-wit, on the 11th day of August, 1924, passed an order duly entered of record, authorizing the issuance of Walker County special road bonds, Series "H," aggregating the sum of one hundred thousand dollars; and thereafter, to-wit, on the 8th day of June, 1925, said court entered an order of record for the issuance of Walker County special road bonds, Series "I," in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, making a

total of seven hundred thousand dollars of bonds issued, and leaving a balance of eight hundred thousand dollars in Walker County special road bonds yet to be issued under said election of March 29, 1924; and providing for the validation of all orders made and entered of record in the issuance, execution, sale and delivery of said bonds, and validating the exchange of said bonds, Series "A," "B," "C," "D," "E," and "F" for outstanding road bonds theretofore issued by the commissioners' court of Walker County, Texas, for and on behalf of road districts numbered one to five inclusive, of said Walker County, Texas, and validating the levy, assessment and collection of taxes for the payment of the interest accrued and to accrue upon said bonds and to pay the principal thereof at maturity; and validating and authorizing the remaining issues of said one million five hundred thousand dollars of Walker County special road bonds, hereafter to be issued by the commissioners' court of Walker County; and validating all proceedings had and to be had in connection with each and all of the said several issues of said bonds, the execution, sale and delivery of the same, and the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest upon said bonds as the same may become due and payable; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 188, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 13, in Henderson County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district, validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional



notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 189. A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Henderson County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district, validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Hardin, of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 190. A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Henderson County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district, validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Manufacture.

By Senator Stuart, et al.:

S. C. R. No. 4, Providing for the appointment of a committee to advise with Congress upon legislation

affecting jointly the interest of the State and Nation.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

#### Simple Resolution No. 5.

We, your Committee on Enrolled and Engrossed Bills, add the name of Herman Maddox as messenger at \$3.00 per day.

FLOYD.

STRONG.

The resolution was read and adopted.

#### Simple Resolution No. 6.

By Stuart, Witt, Wood, Miller, Parr, Parnell, Woodward, Reid, Hardin of Erath:

Whereas, Miss Dorothy Rousseau, Senate Librarian during the Regular Session of the Senate of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, has come to the Special Session taking it for granted that she would be re-elected to this position:

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Senate re-instate the position of Librarian, and that Miss Rousseau be elected to fill the same.

The resolution was read, and, a quorum failed to vote. The Chair ordered a roll call, which developed a quorum.

The resolution was then adopted, by the following vote:

#### Yeas—15.

Berkeley.	Price.
Davis.	Reid.
Floyd.	Stuart.
Hardin of Erath.	Triplett.
Miller.	Witt.
Moore.	Wood.
Parnell.	Woodward.
Parr.	

#### Nays—13

Bailey.	Pollard.
Bledsoe.	Real.
Bowers.	Smith.
Fairchild.	Strong.
Holbrook.	Ward.
Lewis.	Westbrook.
Murphy.	

#### Absent.

Hardin of Kaufman Wirtz.  
Russek.

#### Adjournment.

On motion of Senator Wood, the Senate, at 3:15 o'clock, p. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

**APPENDIX.****Petitions and Memorials.**

Petition of the National Fraternal Congress of America memorializing the Legislature of the State of Texas to do all necessary acts to make valid outstanding bonds issued by subdivisions of said State.

Petition of numerous citizens of Wilson County, Texas, asking that the State provide for an apportionment of fifteen dollars per capita for maintenance of the public schools.

Petition of the School Board and various citizens of Runge, Texas, requesting supplementary aid for the public schools out of the general revenue.

Petition of various citizens and patrons of the public schools of Goliad County asking that an apportionment

and appropriation of \$15.00 per capita be provided for the support of the public schools.

Petition of numerous trustees and patrons of the public schools and citizens of DeWitt County asking that an apportionment of \$15.00 per capita be made for the support of the public schools.

**Committee Report.**

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, Sept. 13, 1926.  
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on En-grossed Bills, have had S. B. No. 2 carefully examined and compared and find the same correctly en-grossed.

STRONG, Chairman.

**GENERAL REVENUE, YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1926.**

(Printed here on motion of Senator Davis.)

At the close of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1926, there was a net cash balance in the State Treasury to the credit of General Revenue .....	\$ 5,396,951.42
Less appropriated by the 39th Legislature against General Revenue Fund for the year yet unpaid for which warrants have not yet been issued .....	1,082,407.43
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	\$ 4,314,543.99
Estimated amount of appropriations unused and which should revert to the General Revenue Fund .....	290,000.00
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	\$ 4,604,543.99

**CHARGES TO GENERAL REVENUE, YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1927.**

To appropriations by the 39th Legislature charged against General Revenue for the year ending August 31, 1927 .....	\$16,635,146.66
Less estimated unused appropriations and net cash balance August 31, 1926 .....	4,604,543.99
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	\$12,030,602.67
To pay approved deficiencies (estimated) .....	\$1,985,995.42
To pay miscellaneous claims (estimated) .....	390,000.00
To pay mileage, per diem and contingent expenses of the 40th Legislature based on 90 day session .....	350,000.00
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	2,725,995.42
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	\$14,756,598.09
Cash balance at the close of the fiscal year, August 31, 1927 .....	3,559,122.06
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	\$18,315,720.15

ESTIMATED GENERAL REVENUE FUND YEAR ENDING  
AUGUST 31, 1927.

By gross taxes arising from the levy of 23 cents on the one hundred dollar assessed valuation, amounting to \$3,627,334,696.00		
Less 20 per cent to cover cost of assessing, collecting and delinquents and errors	\$1,668,573.96	
Approximate total of sums remitted to various counties	505,774.21	2,174,348.17
		<b>\$ 6,168,521.63</b>
Estimated receipts from all sources other than tax on property based on the sums received for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1926		12,147,198.52
		<b>\$18,315,720.15</b>

**THIRD DAY.**

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas.

Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1926.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller.

The roll was called, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Bailey.	Pollard.
Berkeley.	Price.
Bledsoe.	Real.
Bowers.	Reid.
Davis.	Russek.
Fairchild.	Smith.
Floyd.	Strong.
Hardin of Erath.	Stuart.
Hardin of Kaufman.	Triplett.
Holbrook.	Ward.
Lewis.	Westbrook.
Miller.	Wirtz.
Moore.	Witt.
Murphy.	Wood.
Parnell.	Woodward.
Parr.	

Prayer by Dr. Jewett.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Davis.

**Simple Resolution No. 7.**

By Senators Moore, Price, Pollard, Stuart, Bledsoe, Berkeley, Reid, Parnell, Parr Wood.

Whereas, Miss Egan, who was appointed Assistant Journal Clerk, has not been able to report for this position;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That Wendell O'Neal be appointed to fill

this position to which Miss Egan was elected.

Moore, Price, Pollard, Stuart, Bledsoe, Berkeley, Reid Parnell, Parr, Wood.

The resolution was read and adopted.

**Bills and Resolutions.**

By Senator Berkeley:

S. B. No. 191, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Reeves County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners' court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; evidencing proof of publication of constitutional notice required in such acts; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senator Hardin of Kaufman:

S. B. No. 192, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Henderson County, Texas, validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners' court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance, and sale of